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From: H.W. Gaisch 10.04.1985

Your reference number : 1130

I am referring to your telex reply of today in which you suggest to start a.s.a.p. with the preparation of the scientific part of our argumentation. In this case I would propose to meet on the 25th and/or 26th April, the only dates when I could come to Stockholm. If these day are not convenient for you, we would have to meet another time in Neuchatel. However, as the drafting should be done in Swedish, Stockholm would be handier.

The main arguments against the "passive smoking" labels should be based upon quotations from the proceedings of the 1984 Vienna "workshop" which are published in the journal "öffentliches Gesundheitswesen" under the title "Passivrauchen aus medizinischer Sicht - Ergenbisse eines Expertengespräches".

The authors of the proceedings are two well known personalities of the German public health service, Professor Gostomzyk and Professor Franck.

Our thrust in the "passive smoking" area must be : there is absolute no proof that passive smoking is a health hazard.

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As far as the primary health issue is concerned, I have already sugested only to attack the more exagerated statements.

I shall compile a few selected publications, on which we could base a concise document. You will receive the relevant photocopies within the next days.

Kind regards and best wishes,

Helmut Gaisch

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